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RESPONSE TO FINAL

Sir.

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Final Office Action mailed August 5, 2008, which response is being made before November 5, 2008, and for which no extension of time fees are due.

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Please amend the above-identified application as follows: